

Commission on the Improvement of the Status of Children in Indiana
Education Outcomes Task Force Meeting
March 8, 2015
10:00 a.m.-12:00 noon
Indiana Government Center South Building Conference Room 17

Agenda:

Welcome

Approve Minutes from March 6, 2015 meeting

Review Education Outcomes Task Force Report to the Commission

Review "Action Items" requested by the Education Outcomes Task Force

Introduction of NEW sub-committee: School Discipline and Climate

Presentation on Truancy Prevention programs in Allen and Lake Counties: Melaina Gant, Department of Child Services

Presentation on Expungement of Juvenile Records: Libby Milliken, Office of State Court Administration

Review and Discussion of Committee Objectives: Narrowing the focus in 2015-16:

1. Address quality/consistency of education in detention
2. Increase school stability and decrease absenteeism
3. Increase mental health services in schools, including focus on early identification and intervention
4. Increase coordination regarding education among DOE, DCS, Probation and school districts
5. Improve transitions for youth from DOC and DCS to other agencies (BDDS, mental health) and to community including reentry to school

Update on OJJDP Second Chance Act Comprehensive Juvenile Reentry System Reform project

Set Calendar for 2015-16 Meetings